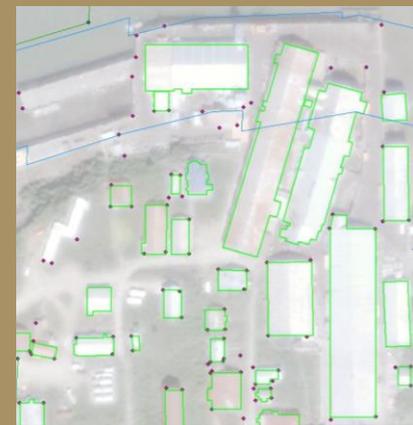
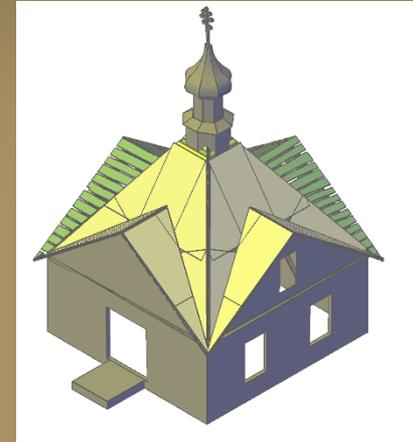


# NPS Cultural Resources National Register Team: Technical Assistance in Alaska



# The National Register / Heritage Assistance Program (HAP) team

- Small team of interdisciplinary cultural resource professionals within the larger Cultural Resource division of the NPS Alaska Regional Office
- Team includes:
  - Archeologist Rhea Hood
  - Historian Darrell Lewis
  - Historical Architect John Wachtel
- Team provides technical assistance not only to stewards of National Historic Landmarks, but other historic property owners as well. (NR & NR eligible)



**Alaska Region Heritage Assistance Program** National Park Service U.S. Department of the Interior

The National Park Service is about more than just parks. The Alaska Region - Heritage Assistance Program offers a wide range of preservation technical assistance to National Historic Landmark owners, Alaska Native groups, communities, and historic property owners throughout Alaska. Our interdisciplinary team of cultural resource professionals includes archeologists, historians and historical architects who can assist on preservation matters.

### Stewards of Our National Historic Landmarks

National Historic Landmarks (NHL) are nationally significant historic places designated by the Secretary of the Interior because they possess exceptional value in illustrating or interpreting our national heritage. The National Park Service administers the program on behalf of the Secretary. In Alaska, we assist the stewards to help protect and preserve these national treasures.

#### Walrus Island Archeological District NHL Official Bronze Plaque & Dedication Ceremony

The team worked with several stakeholders to create the official commemorative plaque of Alaska's newest NHL. The plaque will be installed on Qayassi (Round Island) this summer. A dedication ceremony at the Dillingham Beaver Round-up Festival took place this spring.



Walrus Islands Archeological District NHL Bronze Plaque: NPS Photo / R. Hood  
Walrus Floated Out, East Side of Round Island. NPS Photo / J. Schaff

#### Alaska's National Historic Landmarks Website Launch

This year was the launch of [www.nps.gov/subjects/nhlalaska](http://www.nps.gov/subjects/nhlalaska), a NPS Subject site dedicated to National Historic Landmarks in Alaska. It features all 50 NHLs in the state and information about the NHL program.



Snapshot of National Historic Landmarks in Alaska website

### Engaging Our Youth

Educating our youth is an important aspect of our outreach efforts. We have developed partnerships with organizations to help create the next generation of preservation advocates. We participate in events, conferences, and activities that engage our youth. We also create lesson plans and interpretive material to encourage the next generation of preservation stewardship.

#### Matanuska Colony Teaching with Historic Places Lesson Plan

A Teaching with Historic Places lesson plan and a booklet are being prepared that will highlight the Matanuska Colony. The Matanuska Colony in Palmer, Alaska, constructed in 1935-36 as part of President Roosevelt's New Deal resettlement program is an important part of Alaska's and our nation's history. Learn more about the Teaching with Historic Places here: [www.nps.gov/subjects/teachingwithhistoricplaces/](http://www.nps.gov/subjects/teachingwithhistoricplaces/)



Group of Colony kids at Camp 8 of the Matanuska Colony in 1935. Mary Han Gamble Photographs, 1935-1945, Alaska State Library - Historical Collections

# Authority to provide assistance

- Antiquities Act of 1906
- Historic Sites Act of 1935
- National Historic Preservation Act of 1966  
(as amended)
- ANILCA Section 1318  
(assisting Native Groups)

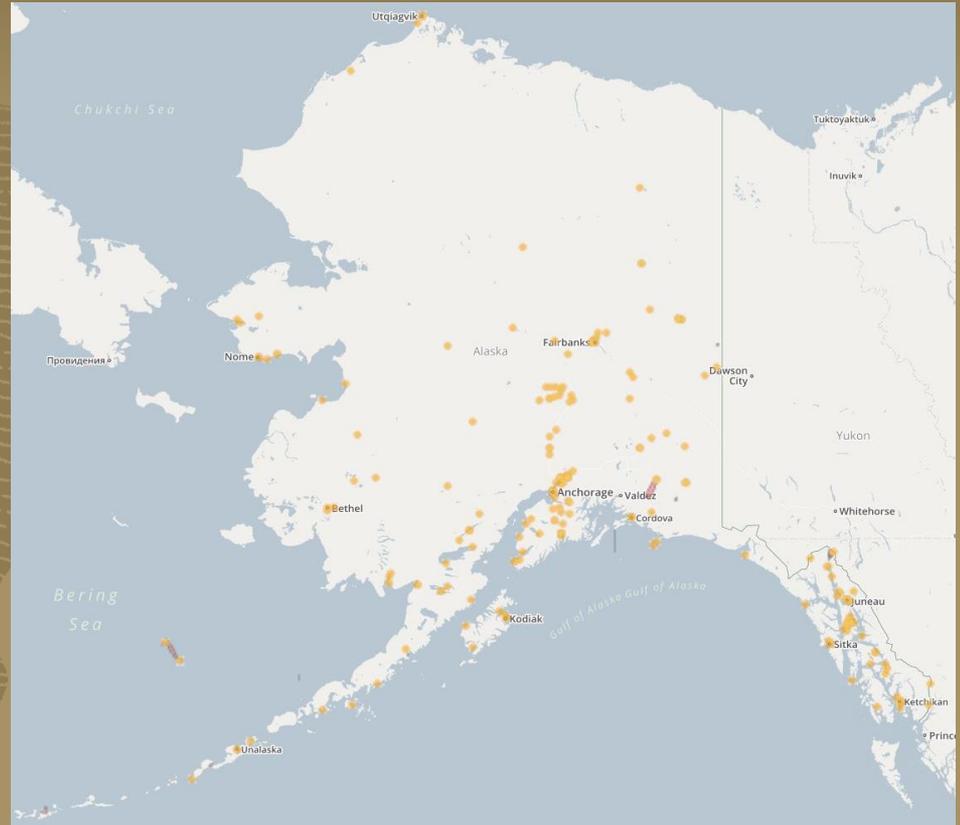
## **Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act**

### **STATEWIDE CULTURAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

SEC. 1318. In furtherance of the national policy set forth in the first section of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the preservation of historic American sites, buildings, objects, and antiquities of national significance, and for other purposes", approved August 21, 1935 (49 Stat. 666), and in furtherance of the need to protect and interpret for the public benefit cultural and archeological resources and objects of national significance relating to prehistoric and historic human use and occupation of lands and waters in Alaska, the Secretary may, upon the application of a Native Corporation or Native Group provide advice, assistance, and technical expertise to the applicant in the preservation, display, and interpretation of cultural resources without regard as to whether title to such resources is in the United States. Such assistance may include making available personnel to assist in the planning, design, and operation of buildings, facilities, and interpretive displays for the public and personnel to train individuals in the identification, recovery, preservation, demonstration, and management of cultural resources.

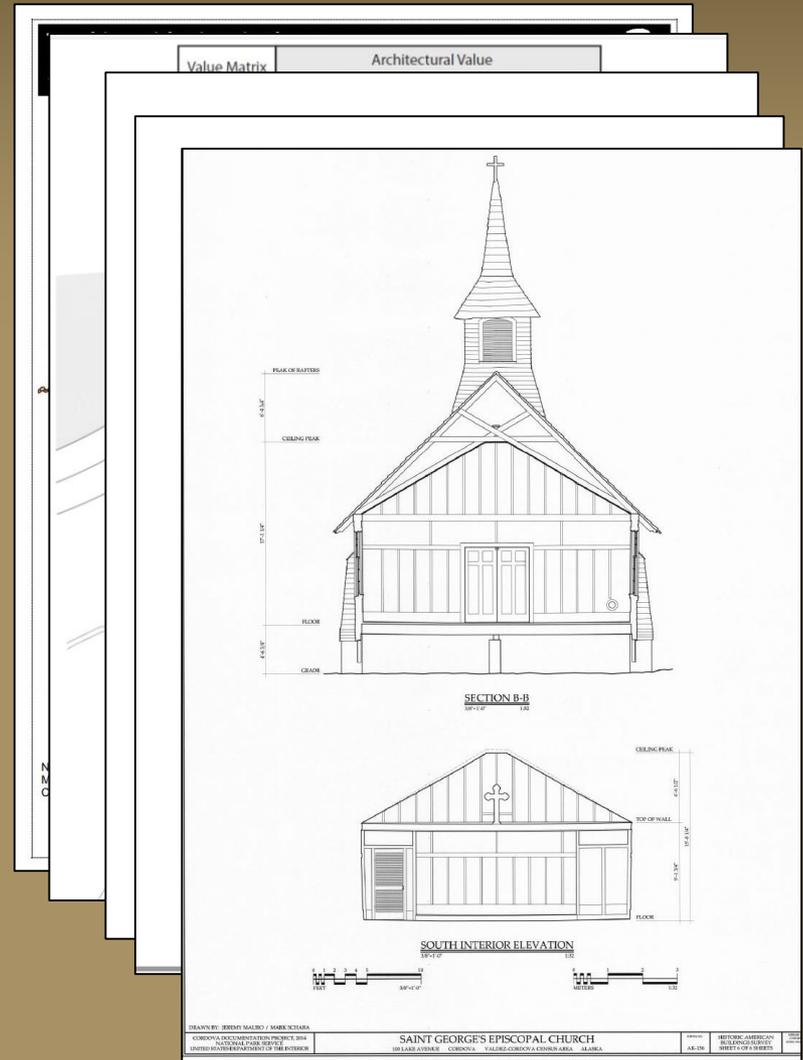
# To whom do we provide technical assistance?

- Stewards of historic properties
  - National Historic Landmarks
  - National Register Properties
- Federal, state, local agencies
- NPS park staff
- State Historic Preservation Office
- Alaska Native Groups (ANILCA 1318)
- Public
  - Historical Societies
  - Preservation Commissions
  - “friends” groups & non-profits

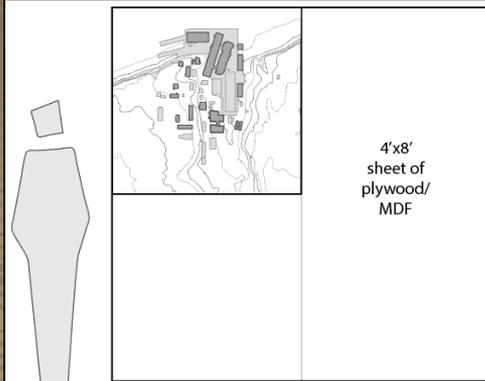


# Forms of technical assistance

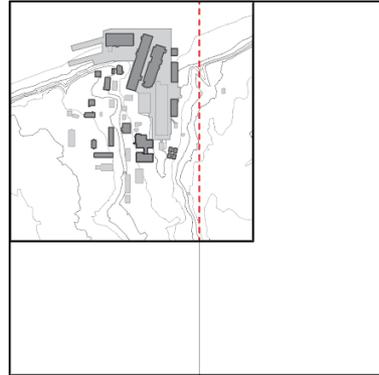
- Being an interdisciplinary team, our assistance can come in many forms:
  - Education & Interpretive materials
  - NHL Documentation & Nominations
  - Planning
  - Compliance/Section 106 reviews and products
  - Architectural guidance
    - Condition Assessments
    - Documentation (HABS/HAER/HALS)
  - General guidance on matters of historic preservation



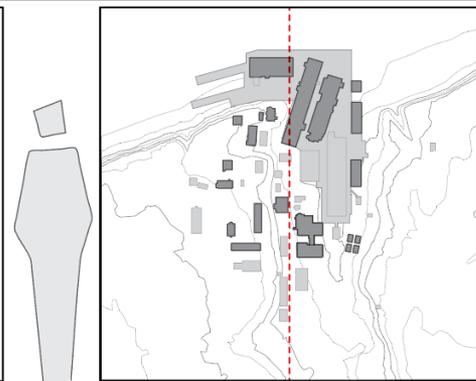
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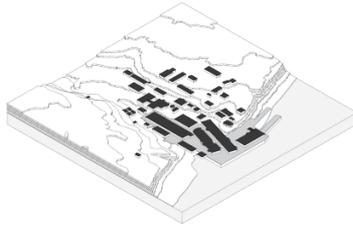
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Shown relative to two standard size 4'x8'  
sheets of plywood.



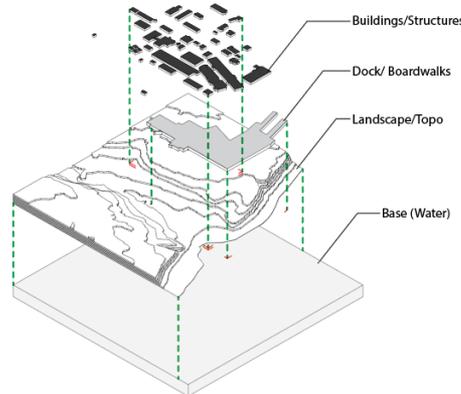
**B** Site model at a scale of  $1''=25'$   
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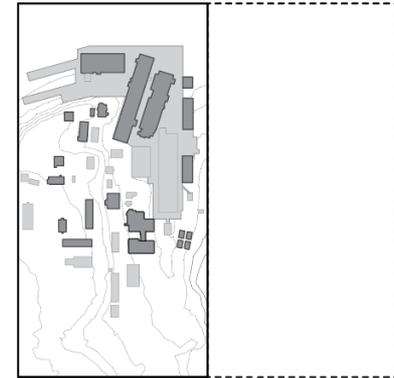
**C** Site model at a scale of  $1/16''=1'$   
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Isometric view of model

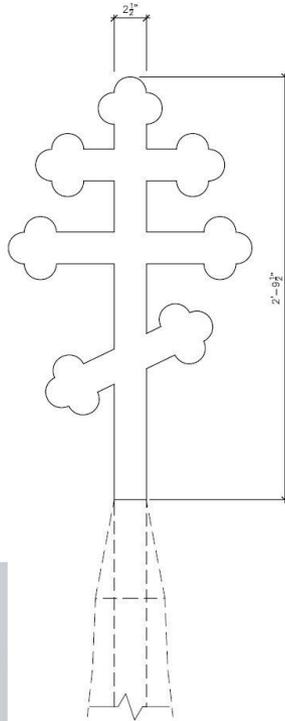


Isometric view of model showing major  
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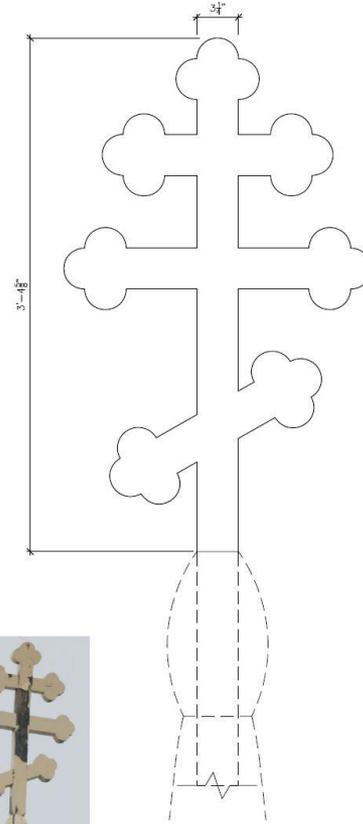
**Alt C** Site model at a scale of  $1/16''=1'$   
Shown relative to one standard size 4'x8'  
sheet of plywood. This configuration cuts  
off some secondary structures and the  
nearby village.

# Kenai St. Nicholas Chapel HPF Roof Rehabilitation



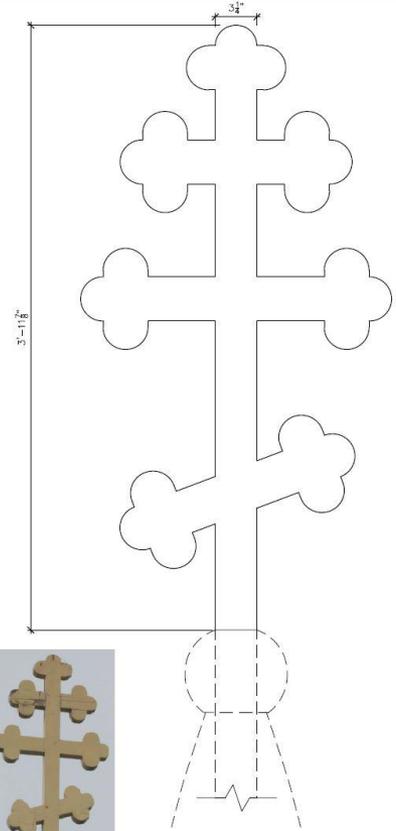
1 SANCTUARY CROSS  
3" = 1"

Notes:  
1. Thickness of material (depth of extruded profile shape) is 1-1/2"



2 NAVE CROSS  
3" = 1"

Notes:  
1. Thickness of material (depth of extruded profile shape) is 2-1/4"



3 BELFRY TOWER CROSS  
3" = 1"

Notes:  
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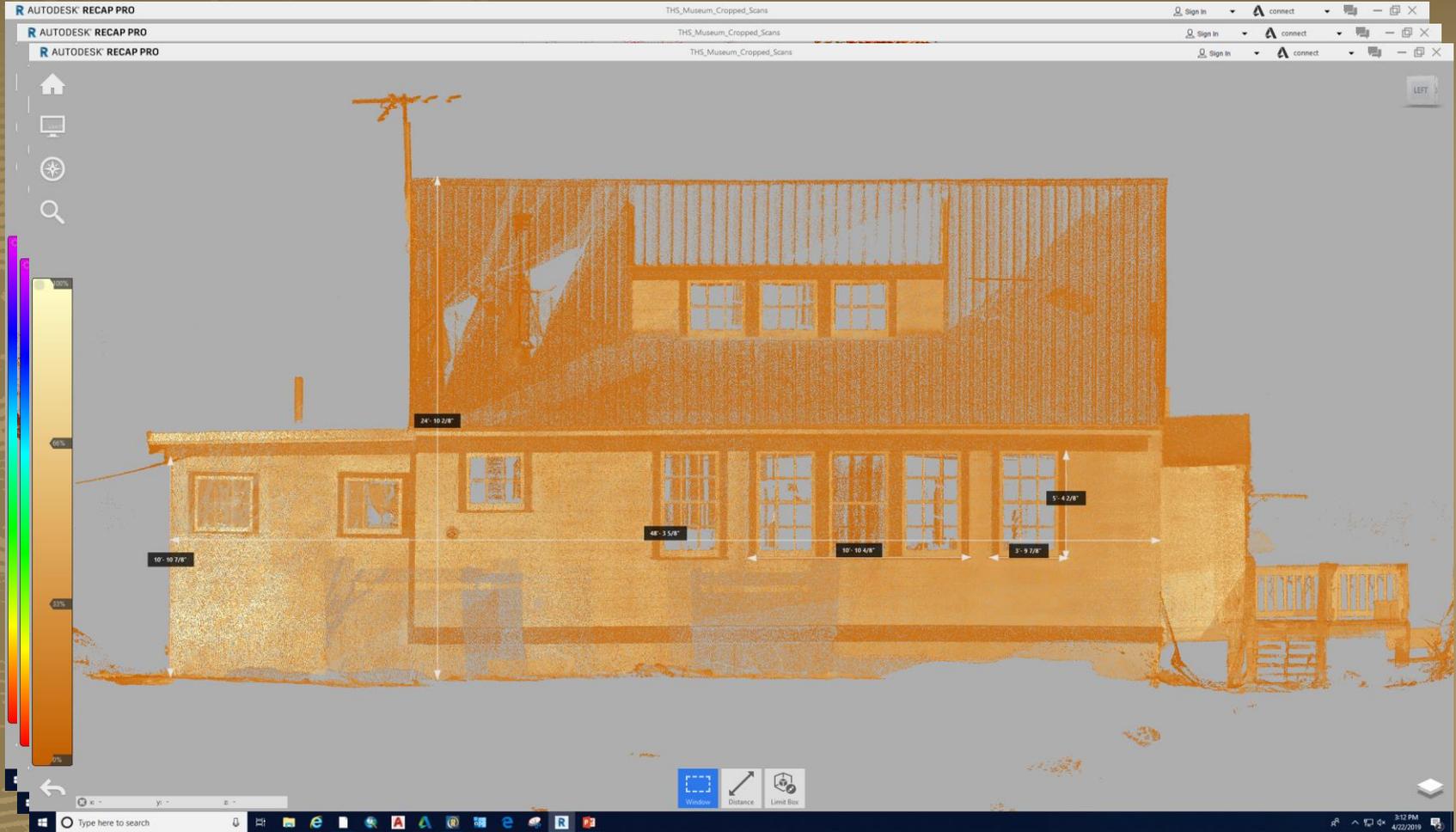


## SHEET NOTES

- All crosses will likely extend into the top of the domes by an additional 2' in order to be fastened to the structure. This precise additional length is unknown at this moment, but should be included at this phase, and will be cut to fit at the time of installation.
- The cross profiles were traced from high definition laser scan data and are accurate to 1/8". Small nuances between the crosses were noted, and may reflect the varying stylistic choices between the original designers.

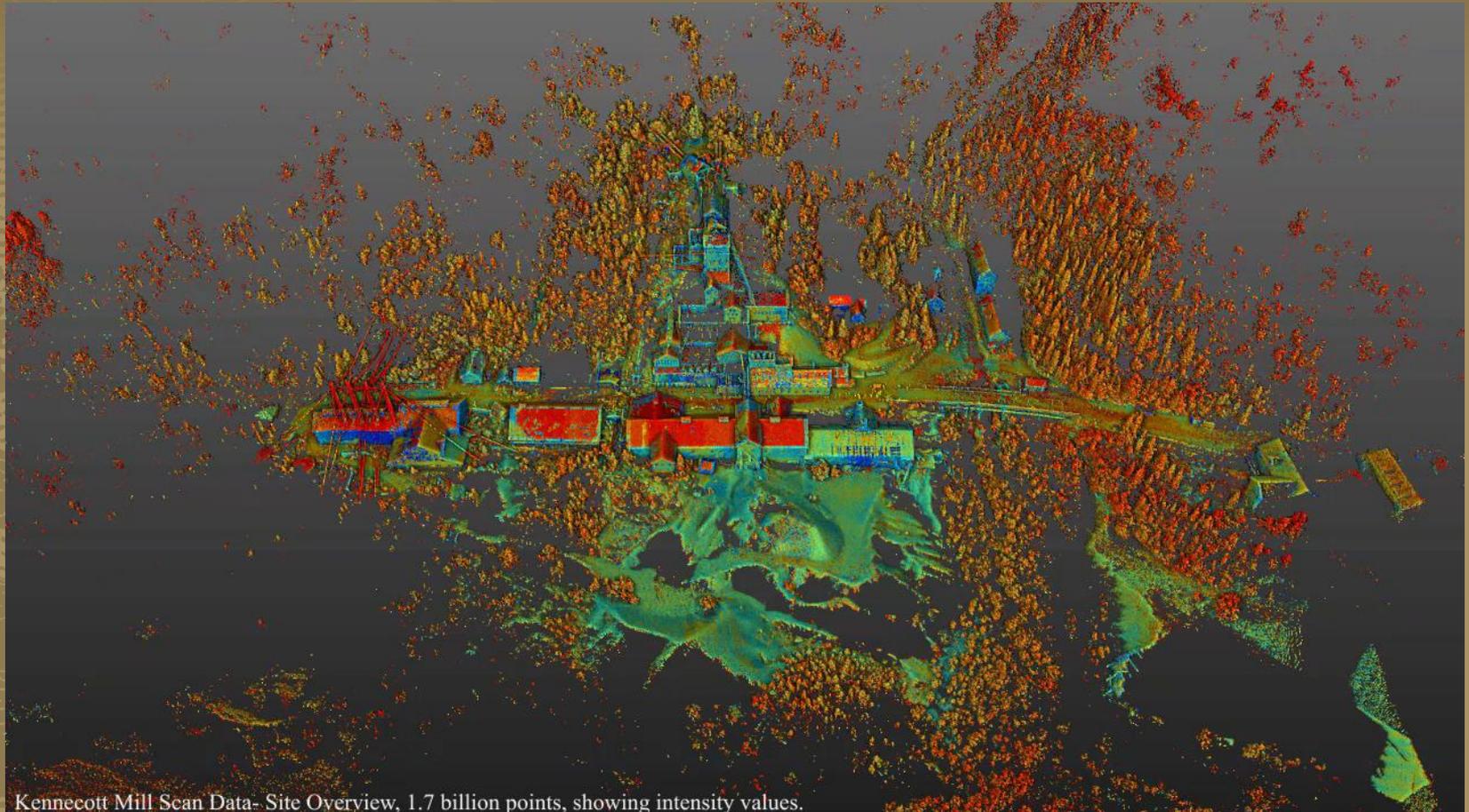
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# Talkeetna Historical Society Museum



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## Examples continued



Kennecott Mill Scan Data- Site Overview, 1.7 billion points, showing intensity values.